GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1511
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SPORTSMEN IN BHILAI STEEL PLANT
PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Bhilai Steel Plant (BSP) has the privilege of selecting sportsmen;

(b) if so, the details in this regard;

(c) whether persons other than employees of the said plant can participate in the competitions held by the plant;

(d) whether any complaints have been received in this regard;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) the action taken thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL (SHRI BRAJA KISHORE TRIPATHY)

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. Bhilai Steel Plant selects sportsmen who are inducted as apprentice trainees on stipend basis for three years. Depending on their performance, they are considered for employment.

(c) Besides employees of BSP and other local persons, the wards of the employees and children studying in schools areallowed to participate in various competitions conducted by the plant.

(d) No complaint has been received about participation in competitions.

(e) & (f): Does not arise.